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AUTHORIZATION

This Action Plan provides guidelines and actions for the eradication of an oriental fruit fly infestation. This Action Plan supplements information contained in the Plant Protection and Quarantine (PPQ) Treatment, Emergency Programs, and Administrative Procedures Manuals.

It is to be used in conjunction with other manuals when conducting emergency program activities. The information and instructions contained in this Action Plan were developed with and approved by representatives of the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS), cooperating States, the Agricultural Research Service, Cooperative State Research Service, and affected industry.

All program technology and methodology employed are determined through discussion, consultation, or agreement with the cooperating State officials.

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NOTICE

Pesticides recommended in this Action Plan are registered or may be exempted under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended. Precautions on the pesticide label and all instructions in this Action Plan must be carefully followed.

Federal and/or State personnel may not make any warranty or representation, expressed or implied, concerning the use of these products and shall not be responsible for any loss, damage, or injury sustained as a result of the use of any product as specified in this Action Plan.

The use of trade names in this Action Plan does not imply an endorsement of those products or of the manufacturers thereof by Federal-State pest control programs. Equivalent formulations under different trade names are acceptable.

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I. GENERAL INFORMATION

A. Action Statement

The information contained in this document is intended for use only when an oriental fruit fly (OFF) infestion is known to exist. This Action Plan is to be used for guidance in implementing eradication procedures and in preventing spread to other locations. This Action Plan provides technical and general information needed to implement any phase of an OFF eradication program. Specific emergency program action is to be based on information available at that time.

B. Background Information

The OFF is native to Asia. This tephritid fly has currently been verified from Burma, China (incl. Taiwan), India, Indonesia (Java, Sumatra, Timor), Thailand, and the United States (Hawaiian Islands). Infestations in the United States (California, the Mariana Islands) and Japan (the Ryukyu Islands) that occurred prior to 1988 have been eradicated. The larvae of the OFF have been recorded worldwide in 236 different fruit hosts. Injury to fruit occurs through o viposition punctures and subsequent larval feeding.

Development from egg to adult, in optimum temperatures of $80^{\circ}F$ (27 °C) and 70 percent relative humidity, takes approximately 22 days. The adult usually becomes sexually mature 8 to 12 days after emergence. The minimum period of time for one generation is approximately 30 days.

C. Life Cycle Application

Insect development is temperature dependent. Egg, larval, and adult reproductive development are influenced by air temperatures. Pupal development is influenced by soil temperatures. In both environments, there is a minimum temperature threshold below which no measurable development takes place. A model can be designed to use air temperature data for all insect stages and to predict the entire life cycle. Temperature data are available from the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, private, State, university, or industry sources or are generated by strategically placed soil probes and thermometers. If available, electronic temperature recording equipment should be used.

Some of the critical parameters for OFF have yet to be determined. Previous research and OFF program activities have shown a developmental threshold of 54.3 F (12.2 C) in air and 49.4 F (9.4 C) in soil. The number of degrees accumulated above the developmental threshold each day is called day degrees (DD). For the air temperature model depicted in the following table, 620 DD must be accumulated before one life cycle has been completed.

Formula:

Minimum Maximum Average Threshold Day Daily Total Daily Temp. Degrees

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Example: (Air Temperature Model 54 OF Threshold)

Minimum Maximum Average Day Daily Total Daily Threshold Degrees

$$54^{\circ}F + 74^{\circ}F = \frac{128^{\circ}F}{2} = 64^{\circ}F - 54^{\circ}F = 10^{\circ}DD$$

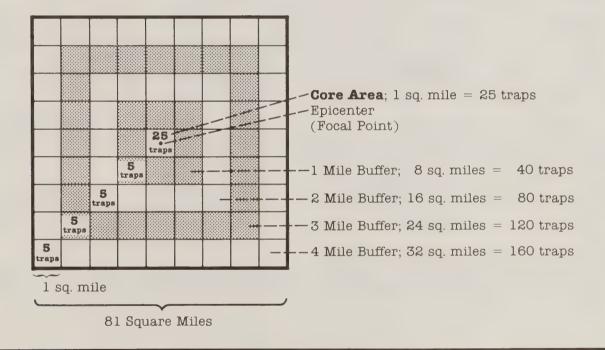
Program actions are guided in part by insect life cycle data. Eradication treatments, length of trapping activities, and regulatory functions are affected primarily by the length of time it takes to complete each phase of the life cycle. Unforeseen delays in completion of the life cycle must be anticipated.

II. SURVEY PROCEDURES (See Addendum D for Technical Survey Information)

A. Delimiting Survey

When one or more OFF are collected in an area, a delimiting survey will be implemented immediately to determine the population distribution. Using the site of the detection as the epicenter (focal point), Jackson traps will be set out in a 25-5-5-5 per square mile (mi²) trap array sequence. The traps are to be serviced weekly. Traps will be maintained through three OFF generations after the last fly find.

Traps Set Per Square Mile



McPhail traps, utilizing yeast tablets or preferably protein hydrolysate (Miller's NU-LURE®) in water as the attractant, are to be placed in the core area and the first buffer area at the same rate as the Jackson traps.

If a fly is found in a particular mi², that area becomes an additional core area.

B. Monitoring/ Evaluation Survey

A monitoring/evaluation survey will be conducted in that area where eradication treatments are applied.

Where a sterile fly release project is employed, a dry-type trap (either a Steiner or a Nadel) is substituted for the Jackson trap and used at the rate of five traps per mi².

C. Fruit Cutting Survey Preferred host fruit from the core, first buffer, and surrounding preferred host areas can be surveyed, depending on host availability. Fruit from the core area is to be cut and examined at the site.

D. Host
Collection
and Holding

Fruit can be collected within approximately 200 yards (yd) of a detection and held for at least one OFF life cycle at an optimum developmental temperature of 80 °F (27 °C) and 70 percent relative humidity. Security of the facility where the fruit is held must be equal to those established for a quarantine insect rearing facility as given in APHIS publication, series 81, number 61.

E. Detection Survey The area beyond the 4-mile (mi) buffer area (up to a 100-mi radius from the core area) is trapped at the minimum rate of one Jackson trap per mi. These traps are to be serviced for three generations and relocated after each servicing, depending on preferred host availability.

F. Orientation of Survey Personnel

New personnel will be trained, on the job, by experienced personnel. Three working days will be necessary to teach the many important facets of the OFF survey.

G. Survey Records

Records noting the areas surveyed, sites trapped, dates, locations, and hosts in which detections were made will be maintained.

For sterile release, a Cunningham Report (CR) will be completed. The CR is a square graph that charts trap areas and gives the weekly ratio of sterile (X) to wild (Y) finds per mi².

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III. REGULATORY PROCEDURES

A. Instructions to Officers

Regulatory actions will be required until the pest is eradicated. Officers must follow instructions for regulatory treatments or other procedures when authorizing the movement of regulated articles. Understanding the instructions and procedures will serve as a basis for explaining such procedures to persons interested in moving articles affected by the quarantine and regulations. Only authorized treatment procedures may be used.

General instructions that are to be followed in regulatory treatments may be found in the PPQ Treatment Manual.

B. Regulated Articles

- 1. Those fresh fruits, nuts, vegetables and berries given in Addendum C which exist in the regulated area, will be listed as regulated articles.
- 2. Cannery waste.
- 3. Soil within the drip area of plants which produce the fruits, nuts, bolls, vegetables, or berries listed in Addendum C.
- 4. Any other product, article, or means of conveyance of any character whatsoever when it is determined by an inspector that it presents a hazard of spread of OFF and the person in possession thereof has been so notified.

C. Quarantine Actions

Regulatory action will be required if:

1. More than 5 adult flies or an unmated female and a male are found in an area less than 1 mi² within one estimated OFF life cycle,

or

2. One mated female, or larva, or pupa are detected,

or

3. A single adult fly is found which is determined to be associated with a current eradication project.

When detections are made, implement the following steps:

a. Issue Emergency Action Notifications (PPQ Form 523) to all growers and establishments that grow, handle, or process regulated articles within 4.5 mi of the epicenter.

Emergency Action Notifications and/or comparable State Notifications are issued by field personnel to the property owners or managers of all establishments handling, moving, or processing articles capable of spreading the OFF. Notifications will be issued pending authoritative confirmation and/or further instruction from the Deputy Administrator.

- b. If necessary, the Deputy Administrator will issue a letter directing PPQ field offices to initiate specific emergency action under the Federal Plant Pest Act (7 U.S.C. 150dd) until Federal regulations can be published in the Federal Register. For other legal authorities see Section II, A and B, of the Federal Emergency Programs Manual.
- c. The Deputy Administrator will notify State cooperators of the OFF detection, actions taken, and actions contemplated.
- d. A narrative description of the regulated area with supporting documents will be developed by the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) and the State cooperator and provided to the Domestic and Emergency Operations Staff (DEO), Operational Support (OS), PPQ. The regulated area will also be defined by the Universal Transverse Mercator (UTM) grid map marking system for use by the Project Manager. The regulated area will normally be 81 mi.
- e. APHIS will publish an interim rule explaining the OFF regulations in the Federal Register. The interim rule will announce a date for submitting written comments, which shall be approximately 60 days after publication.
- f. After receipt of written comments, a final determination specifying the action decided upon will be published in the Federal Register.
- D. Regulated
 Establishments
 Inspection

Efforts to detect the pest within the regulated area will be made at establishments where regulated articles are sold, handled, processed, or moved. Establishments that might be involved are: airports, landfill sites, fruit stands, farmers' markets, produce markets, flea markets, and any other establishments that handle regulated articles. A minimum of two Jackson traps or two dry-type traps may be deployed and serviced by survey personnel at those establishments deemed to be at risk by program management when a large OFF infestation exists.

E. Use of Authorized Chemicals

The PPQ Treatment Manual and this Action Plan contain the authorized chemicals, methods and rates of application, and any special application instructions. Concurrence by the DEO staff, OS, PPQ, is necessary for the use of any other chemical or procedure for regulatory purposes. If treatments selected or proposed, including those listed in this Action Plan, are not in conformance with current pesticide labels, an emergency exemption will need to be obtained under Section 18, or 24C, special local need (SLN), of FIFRA, as amended. For further instructions, see Emergency Programs Manual, Section V.B.

F. Approved
Regulatory
Treatments

1. Soil Treatment. An approved insecticide applied to the soil within the dripline of host plants.

Diazinon--(Diazinon AG-500) 3.68 ounces (oz) (1.92 avoirdupois (avdp) ounces active ingredients (oz ai)) of 48 percent diazinon in enough water to soak 2 in of soil over 1,000 square feet (ft²) to kill larvae, pupae, and emerging adults. Adjust water hydrogen-ion concentration (pH) to 6.5 or less prior to adding insecticide. The treatment interval will be described in the exemption issued by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Normally, treatments are applied at a 14-16 day interval.

Diazinon--Work Diazinon 14 G (granular) 1 to 2 in into soil at the rate of 35 lb per acre (a) or 1.45 oz $(0.2_a \text{ avdp oz ai})$ per 12 foot (ft) diameter drip circle (113 ft²), then thoroughly water the treated area.

- 2. Fumigation. The application of an approved fumigant as a treatment (methyl bromide, Phostoxin®) alone or in conjunction with cold treatment procedures.
- 3. Cold Treatment. The use of cold temperatures as a treatment on selected products alone or in conjunction with fumigation.
- 4. Vapor Heat Treatment. The use of heated air saturated with water vapor to raise the temperature of the commodity to a required point and held there for a specified period as a treatment.
- 5. Bait Spray. The application of approved ground or aerial proteinaceous bait spray to commercial host properties within the regulated area, as a condition for certification and movement. Applications will be at the same prescribed intervals and dosages as given in IV.C.2. and 3.b, Eradication Procedures.

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G. Principal Activities

The following identifies principal activities necessary for conducting a regulatory program to prevent the spread of OFF. The extent of regulatory activity required is dependent on the degree of infestation. For example, safeguarding fruit stands throughout the entire regulated area which are only engaged in local retail activity may not be necessary when the regulations that are imposed are based on a limited and light infestation. On the other hand, mandatory checks of passenger baggage at airports and the judicious use of road patrols and roadblocks may be necessary where general or heavy infestations occur.

- 1. Advising regulated industry of required treatment procedures.
- 2. Supervising, monitoring, and certifying treatments of regulated articles.
- 3. Contact visits with:
 - a. Security and airline personnel
 - b. Fruit stands
 - c. Local growers and packers
 - d. Farmers', produce, and flea markets
 - e. Commercial haulers of regulated articles
 - f. Public transportation and
 - q. Post office contacts.
- 4. Visiting canneries and other processing establishments.
- 5. Monitoring the movement of waste material to and from landfills to ensure adequate disposal of regulated articles.
- 6. Monitoring the movement of regulated articles through airports and other transportation centers.
- 7. Observing major highway and quarantine boundaries for movement of host materials.
- H. Removing Areas From Ouarantine

Areas placed under regulation may be removed from quarantine requirements after the OFF has been declared eradicated. Project management will identify areas to be removed at such time that three OFF life cycles have been completed since the last specimen recovery. One life cycle must have elapsed since the cessation of control activities. APHIS will publish a Notice of Quarantine Revocation in the Federal Register when areas are removed from quarantine requirements.

I. Orientation of Regulatory Personnel

Only trained or experienced personnel will be used initially. Replacement personnel will be trained by the individual being replaced. A training period of up to 3 working days is necessary for the orderly transfer of these functions.

J. Regulatory Records

Records will be maintained as necessary to carry out an effective, efficient, and responsible regulatory program. See Addendum G of this Action Plan for detailed instructions.

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IV. ERADICATION PROCEDURES

The DEO staff, in consultation with methods and research agencies, will outline treatments to be used and must be notified of all treatment plans. If treatments selected or proposed are not in conformance with current pesticide labels, an emergency exemption will need to be obtained under Section 18, or 24C, special local need (SLN), of FIFRA, as amended. For further instructions, see Emergency Programs Manual. Section V.B.

Eradication of an OFF infestation in the continental United States is essential. The following provides approved procedures available for use in most situations. These procedures include mechanical, chemical, and biological control (e.g., sterile flies). Local conditions will determine the most acceptable procedure or combination of procedures to achieve eradication.

A. Eradication/ Control Method Selection The following criteria will provide guidance for the selection of appropriate treatments to achieve eradication. Additional treatment actions can be applied if mutually agreed upon by cooperating agencies. Eradication measures will continue for at least two OFF generations. Trapping to verify that eradication has been accomplished will continue for at least one OFF life cycle after eradication measures have stopped.

- 1. If two adult flies other than mated females are detected within a 3 1/2 mile radius and within one estimated life cycle, the minimum response would be the initiation of ground applied male annihilation treatments.
- 2. If the infestation criteria requiring regulatory action is met within an approximately 10-day period in an urban area, male annihilation applications, soil treatment, and host stripping will be the minimum recommended response. Similar fly detections in a commercial area are treated as above, with the addition of ground or aerial application of bait spray. Sterile release is an optional treatment.
- B. Recommended Pesticides
- Naled (Dibrom®);
- 2. Malathion; and
- 3. Diazinon.

Some pesticides and/or bait and lure formulations can damage painted surfaces, plastic, and some uncoated metal surfaces. Care must be exercised when formulating and applying these compounds. Potential damage caused by accidental contamination can be eliminated or minimized by promptly cleaning the affected surface.

C. Approved Eradication Treatments

1. Male Annihilation Option

Spot Treatment: Apply the lure/insecticide with a pressurized applicator or a hydraulic oil squirt can to utility poles, trees, fences, etc. Apply at least 600 evenly distributed bait spots per mi or 60 to 80 to a city block. Apply treatment every 2 weeks. The area of coverage will extend 9 mi around each fly find.

Male Annihilation Formulation (formulated by weight)

Naled 1.75 oz (by weight)----10 percent Dibrom® 14
*Min-U-Gel® 4 oz (by weight)-----23 percent Min-U-Gel 400® oz
Male Lure 11 fluid oz (by weight)-----67 percent methyl eugenol

The proper viscosity of the formulation must be maintained (i.e., the surface of a spot application is thick enough to hold indentations) to avoid splashback, runoff, and possible ineffective treatments on nonporous surfaces.

The male annihilate is squirted on tree trunks, fences, utility poles, etc., out of the reach of children, at the rate of 0.1 to 0.2 oz (3 to 5 mL) per station.

*Normally 4 oz (by weight) of Min-U-Gel® is sufficient to maintain appropriate viscosity, however additional amounts may be required to achieve desired results.

2. Aerial Proteinaceous Bait Spray Option

Treatment or retreatment should not be considered if weather reports indicate a 50 percent or greater chance of precipitation within 48 hours.

Applications of full-coverage protein bait spray will be scheduled and applied 7 to 10 days apart. The area of full-coverage bait spray will extend a minimum of 1.5 mi beyond any known infestation. It may be expanded to 2.5 mi from any find if the infestation is heavy. Weather conditions may dictate changes in spray schedule. After an estimated two OFF generations of negative trapping, spray operations may be discontinued.

Ultralow volume (ULV) Malathion (Cythion®)--2.4 oz (2.2 avdp oz ai) of 91 percent technical grade malathion plus 9.6 oz of Miller's NU-LURE® (protein bait) per a.

3. Supplemental Eradication Methods

a. Soil Treatment: Properties with confirmed larval infestations and the environs within 200 yds will have approved soil treatments applied within a minimum of 1 yd outside the dripline of all host plants and a minimum of a 1 yd radius around any spot where host fruit may have dropped or rolled. Take particular care to soak cracks or crevices in or next to barriers to horizontal movement of larvae (i.e., sidewalks, stones, etc.). Apply prescribed treatments at 14- to 16-day intervals as per EPA specific exemption.

Diazinon--(Diazinon AG-500) 3.68 oz (1.77 avdp oz ai) of 48 percent diazinon in enough water to soak 1 to 2 in of soil over 1,000 ft² (5 lb ai/a) to kill larvae or pupae and emerging adults. Adjust water pH to 6.5 or less prior to adding insecticide.

Diazinon--Work Diazinon 14 G 1 to 2 in into soil at the rate of 35 lb per a (5 lb ai/a) or 1.45 oz per 12-ft diameter drip circle (113 ft 2). The area should be treated with water that has been buffered (6.0-6.5) to enhance percolation of the material into the soil.

b. Ground Applied Proteinaceous Bait Spray: All hosts (available shelter, oviposition, or food sites in any stage of development) on the infested property, adjacent property, and within approximately 200 yd of the known find will be sprayed at the prescribed intervals. Ground spraying may be discontinued after an estimated two OFF generations of negative trapping or after the initiation of male annihilation or of aerial treatment.

The bait may be applied as a limited coverage application to hosts and plants providing shelter or resting areas by means of a backpack sprayer or equivalent unit. Applications are sprayed out of reach of children or pets. If full coverage application is desired, a mistblower or similar unit can be utilized. Treatments are to be applied 7 to 10 days apart.

Subsequent applications, if in orchards or groves, may be decreased by treating every other tree.

Malathion 50 WP--One lb ai per a. Protein (Miller's NU-LURE®)--0.4 gal. Water--The amount of water needed will depend on the application equipment selected.

Each host or station, approximately 6,500 per mi², shall be given a drench₂of 0.3 to 0.5 oz sufficient to cover a minimum 5.4-ft² area until the surface is wet.

Ground application of protein bait spray formulations historically have not significantly reduced infestations in urban areas. This failure has been attributed to the inability of crews to gain access to all sites requiring treatment, equipment constraints and timeliness of applications. Hence, this treatment should not be considered as a primary option for eradication in urban areas.

- c. Fruit Stripping: All ripe preferred host fruit up to 200 yd of a confirmed larval site should be promptly stripped and placed in a plastic bag and properly disposed of in an approved landfill.
- d. Sterile Insect Release (SIR): In situations where SIR is the most appropriate response to eliminate residual OFF populations, this technique may be employed.

It may be used in conjunction with fruit stripping, ground application of protein bait spray, and soil drench.

Due to the presence of extremely similiar species to the OFF, it will be necessary to verify that the infestation consists of a population identical in every respect to the sterile flies being released. Such identification must be verified through the use of all known taxonomic characters, including morphological, DNA, electrophorsis, and any other features or processes needed to make a positive determination.

A trap array of five traps per mi² using Steiner or Nadel traps will be utilized in a monitoring survey throughout the operational area where sterile flies are released. The traps will be baited with methyl eugenol lure and dibrom and serviced on a 1-week schedule.

Sterile release can be achieved using two methods. These methods will be utilized to ensure that no less than 1 million adult flies are dispensed in the infested mi² core area per week and no less than 50,000 adult flies per mi² are to be dispensed in a 3-mi buffer zone completely surrounding the core area. Additional flies are to be released to any mi² where monitoring surveys indicate that the overflooding ratio is less than 100 sterile flies to 1 wild fly. The following methods will be utilized to achieve sterile fly distribution:

(1) Roving Sterile Release: This release system involves the release of adult flies from a moving vehicle. Use of this system permits rapid dispersal of large volumes of adult flies under favorable conditions.

Roving sterile release is generally used in the core area. The roving sterile release method also may be used to distribute 50,000 sterile flies per mi² per week within the minimum 3-mi buffer zone surrounding the core area.

Quality control data secured from the rearing supervisor will be used to determine how many flies to release.

(2) Aerial Sterile Release: This method of releasing sterile OFF provides better general distribution over an area than roving sterile release.

Fly distribution must be accomplished over the entire aerial sterile release zone for any day aerial operations are conducted. It will be necessary to conduct additional aerial sterile release flights over the core area to maintain the 20:1 ratio of population (i.e., core area versus buffer zone) when aerial release is the only method of release being utilized.

Either system (i.e., roving sterile release, aerial sterile release, or a combination of roving sterile/aerial sterile release) is a satisfactory method of achieving desired sterile OFF distribution. Infestation size and location will influence the release method selected. This selection is to be made by control personnel.

- D. Orientation of Eradication/Control Personnel
- Only trained and experienced personnel will be used initially. Replacement personnel will be trained by the individual being replaced. A training period of up to 3 working days is necessary for the orderly transfer of these functions.
- E. Eradication/ Control Records
- Records noting the location, dates, number, and type of treatments and materials and formulations used will be maintained for all areas treated. See Addendum G of this Action Plan for detailed instructions.
- F. Monitoring

An effective monitoring program will be implemented to aid in the evaluation of program efforts and environmental impact. The application and use of pesticides will be assessed through the use of appropriate monitoring program criteria. The evaluation must effectively address Agency, cooperator, and public concerns.

The monitoring program will include at least the following elements:

- 1. Determine efficacy of pesticides against the target pest.
- 2. Evaluate dye cards to monitor aerial bait applications, including:
 - a. Droplet size information
 - b. Droplet distribution information
 - c. Bait deposition information
 - d. Identification of wind drift components
 - e. Verification of spray block boundaries and
 - f. Identification of skips.
- 3. Sample to evaluate effect on environmental components.
- a. Water sampling to detect insecticide levels resulting from direct application, leaching, and runoff
- b. Soil sampling to determine insecticide levels and residues
 - c. Foliage sampling to identify residues
- d. Biological organism sampling before, during and after applications and posttreatments to determine impact of insecticides
 - e. Air sampling to determine presence of pesticides

The monitoring program is to be a combined effort between the State in which the emergency program is being conducted and PPQ. Specific plans will need to be developed for monitoring activities and the DEO staff will request assistance and guidelines from the Program Planning and Development Staff.

V. REARING AND STERILIZING PROCEDURES

The logistics of supplying, equipping, irradiating, packaging, and monitoring sterile fly releases is a program within itself. For detailed information involving supplies, equipment, packaging, monitoring, and quality control, contact the DEO staff, OS, PPQ.

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VI. CONTACTS

When an OFF eradication program has been implemented, its success will depend on the voluntary cooperation, assistance, and understanding from other involved groups. The following is a list of groups which either are involved in or must be kept informed of all operational phases of an emergency program:

- 1. Other Federal, State, county, and municipal agricultural officials
- 2. Grower groups
- 3. Commercial interests
- 4. Universities
- 5. State and local law enforcement officials
- 6. Public health agencies
- 7. Foreign agricultural interests
- 8. National, State, and local news media
- 9. The general public and
- 10. Post office contacts.

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VII. ADDENDA

Addendum A--Definitions

Aerial Proteinaceous Bait

Treatment:

Applying an insecticide and a protein hydrolysate bait by aircraft over a

treatment area.

Aerial Sterile Release:

Releasing sterile OFF over a designated area

by aircraft.

Aerial Release Area:

The core area and all peripheral areas 3 mi beyond the nearest known infestation or to a suitable natural barrier within the 3-mi

peripheral area.

Array:

The trapping pattern in a 1-mi² area.

Array Sequence:

The trapping pattern (array) beginning with the core area and continuing outward through each buffer area ending with the outer

buffer area.

Bactrocera dorsalis

(Hendel):

(= Dacus dorsalis Hendel).

The scientific name of the OFF.

Bait:

An attractant and food source (protein hydrolysate) mixed with an insecticide for

treating OFF infestations.

Buffer Area:

The area extending beyond the boundary of the core--1-, 2-, 3-, and 4-mi buffer.

Cold Treatment:

The use of cold temperatures as a treatment on selected products alone or in conjunction

with fumigation.

Commercial Production Area: An area where host material for commerce is

grown.

Confirmed Detection:

A positive identification by a recognized expert of a submitted life form (specimen)

as OFF.

Core Area:

An area of 1 mi² surrounding a confirmed OFF

detection.

Day Degrees:

An accumulation of heat units above a

developmental threshold.

Delimiting Survey: Determining whether an infestation exists

and if so, the extent of the infestation in an area where the OFF has been detected.

Detection: The collection of any life stage of OFF.

Detection Survey: An activity conducted in a susceptible area

not known to be infested with OFF.

Developmental Threshold: The minimum (or maximum) temperature below

(or above) which physiological development

stops (peaks).

Epicenter/Focal Point: The initial site of an infestation.

Eradication: The confirmed removal of all OFF life forms

in a specified geographical area as

determined by the completion of three life

cycles without pest specimens being

recovered.

Fruit Collection Survey: The collection of fruit to determine the

extent and nature of an infestation.

Fruit Cutting Survey: Cutting fruit and examining for larvae.

Fumigation: The application of an approved fumigant as a

treatment (methyl bromide, Phostoxin®) alone

or in conjunction with cold treatment

procedures.

Generation (Life Cycle): The period of time for the pest to complete

all stages of development.

Ground Bait Spray: Using ground equipment to spray host

vegetation in an OFF infested area with an insecticide and a protein hydrolysate bait.

Host: A plant species that provides for

reproduction of the OFF.

Host Collection/Holding: The collection and holding of host material

to determine the extent and nature of an

infestation.

Infestation:

The collection of one mated female, more than 5 unmated females, a larva, a pupa, more than five males, or an unmated female and a male from within an area of 1 mi and within one OFF life cycle or the detection of a single adult determined to be associated with a current eradication project.

Infested Area:

An area 1-1/2 mi around all detection sites unless biological factors indicate the need for more or less area.

Lure Bait:

(Methyl eugenol)

A male lure bait with a thickening agent and an insecticide.

Male Annihilation Procedure:

An eradication procedure that is designed to kill the adult OFF male. Bait spots which consist of a male lure, thickening agent, and an insecticide are ground applied.

Monitoring/Evaluation Survey:

Using interdependent visual and trapping surveys in an area where an insecticide or sterile release treatment has been applied, to evaluate the effectiveness of the application.

PPQ-APHIS-LSDA:

Plant Protection and Quarantine, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Regulated Area:

An area that extends at least 4 1/2 linear mi in any direction from the epicenter of an infestation.

Regulated Articles:

All known or suspected hosts of OFF, also cannery waste, soil and any other suspected product or article.

Regulatory Survey:

Trapping conducted around establishments where regulated articles are sold, handled, processed, or moved.

Roving Sterile Release:

The release of sterile OFF in an area from a motor vehicle.

Soil Treatment:

The application of an approved insecticide to the soil of nursery stock and within the dripline of host plants.

Sterile Release: Releasing sterile OFF in an area as a method

of eradication or as one of several methods

in an integrated eradication program.

Ultralow-Volume (ULV)

Bait Spray:

A mixture of an insecticide with protein hydrolysate. This mixture is applied as

droplets by aircraft.

Urban/Residential Area: An area containing multiple- or

single-family dwellings.

Vapor Heat Treatment: The use of heated air saturated with water

vapor to raise the temperature of the

commodity to a required point.

Addendum B---Safety

1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Personnel and public safety must be prime considerations at all times. Safety practices should be stressed in preprogram planning and through the duration of actual program operations. Supervisors must enforce on-the-job safety procedures. For complete instructions, see V.D., in the Emergency Programs Manual.

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Addendum C--Hosts

The OFF host list is separated into preferred and other hosts. The hosts are listed by common and scientific names. The common names are arranged in a manner that is indicative of their usage. The common names of a particular group or family of hosts are listed first. In all instances, an attempt has been made to select the most widely recognized common name. Where a common name includes more than one word, the host may be listed more than once; first under the first common name, and second under the popular common name in the title, if one is given. This follows the practice given in LSDA, Agricultural Research Service, Agriculture Handbook Number 505, "A Checklist of Names for 3,000 Vascular Plants of Economic Importance". Thus, a host with the word "apple" in its common name will be listed under "Apple" as well as under its first common name. Some species, which have no accepted or approved common name, but are identifiable as a particular kind of plant, are designated by: (ncn) = no common name. Other species without an accepted or approved common name are given at the end of the appropriate list. There are a total of 239 hosts in this list. All hosts are from the "Host List Oriental Fruit Fly" prepared by APHIS's Biological Assessment Support Staff (BASS) in 1983. Additional hosts may have been added since that date. This list arranges the hosts by scientific name and includes many other common names for a given species.

PREFERRED

Common Name

Akia
Alexander laurel
Almond, tropical
tropical
American plum
Apple, custard
custard
domestic
rose
star
velvet

Apricot Arabian coffee Avocado Banana, common

dwarf
Banana passion fruit
Black mulberry
Brazil cherry
Breadfruit
Cactus, prickly pear
(ncn)

Scientific Name

Wikstroemia phillyraeifolia Calophyllum inophyllum Terminalia catappa Terminalia chebula Prunus americana Annona reticulata Annona squamosa Malus domestica Eugenia jambos Chrysophyllum cainito Diospyros discolor Prunus armeniaca Coffea arabica Persea americana Musa paradisiaca var. sapientum = (Musa x paradisiaca) Musa acuminata Passiflora mollissima Morus nigra Eugenia dombeyi Artocarpus altilis Opuntia ficus-indica Cereus coerulescens

Caimitillo Chrysophyllum oliviforme Citrofortunella japonica Calamondin orange Juglans hindsii California black walnut Anacardium occidentale Cashew Annona cherimola Cherimoya Eugenia dombeyi Cherry, Brazil Prunus lyonii catalina Prunus ilicifolia hollyleaf (ornamental) Surinam Eugenia uniflora West Indian Malpighia punicifolia Chili Capsicum frutescens var. longum Chinese orange Fortunella japonica Coffee Coffea arabica Cotton Gossypium spp. Averrhoa carambola Country gooseberry Cucumber Cucumis sativus Annona squamosa Custard apple Custard apple, annona Annona reticulata Phoenix dactylifera Date palm Downy rose myrtle Rhodomyrtus tomentosa Dracaena draco Dragon tree Musa acuminata Dwarf banana Egg-fruit tree Pouteria campechiana Elengi tree Mimusops elengi Juglans regia English walnut Prunus domestica European prune, common Ficus carica Fig, common Prunus domestica Garden plum Averrhoa carambola Gooseberry, country Garcinia celebica Gourka Granadilla, sweet Passiflora ligularis Passiflora lauriflora yellow Vitis spp. Grape Citrus paradisi Grapefruit Psidium guajava Guava, common pineapple Feijoa sellowiana red strawberry Psidium cattleianum littorale strawberry Psidium cattleianum yellow strawberry Psidium cattleianum lucidum Imbu Spondias tuberosa Jackfruit Artocarpus hetemphyllus Japanese persimmon Diospyros kaki Jerusalem cherry Solanum pseudocapsicum Ketembilla Do vyalis hebecarpa King orange Citrus x nobilis

Kumquat	Fortunella Japonica
Lemon	Citrus limon
Lilikoi, yellow	Passiflora mollissima
Lime, sour	Citrus aurantiifolia
Longan	Euphoria longana
Loquat	Eriobotrya japonica
Lychee	Litchi chinensis
	Syzygium malaccense
Malay apple	
Mammee-apple	Mammea americana
Mandarin	Citrus reticulata
Mango	Mangifera indica
Mangosteen	Garcinia mangostana
Mock orange	Murraya paniculata
Mulberry, black	Moris nigra
Mullein nightshade	Solanum verbascifolium
Myrtle, downy rose	Rhodomyrtus tomentosa
Natal plum	Carissa macrocarpa
Nectarine	Prunus persica var.
Nec car riic	nectarina
Nichtahada mullain	Solanum verbascifolium
Nightshade, mullein	
(ncn)	Solanum auriculatum
Oleander, yellow	The vetia peruviana
Orange, calamondin	Citrofortunella japonica
Chinese	Fortunella japonica
king	Citrus x nobilis
mock	Murraya paniculata
sour	Citrus aurantium
sweet	Citrus sinensis
unshu	Citrus nobilis unshu
Oriental bush red pepper	Capsicum frutescens var.
or remeat bush red pepper	abbreviatum
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Otaheite apple	Spondias cytherea
Palm, date	Phoenix dactylifera
date	Phoenix spp.
syrup	Jubaea spectabilis
Papaya, common	Carica papaya
Passion-flower, softleaf	Passiflora mollissima
Passion-fruit, banana	Passiflora mollissima
(ncn)	Passiflora edulis
(110.17)	flavicarpa
Peach	Prunus persica
	Pyrus communis
Pear, common	Solanum muricatum
Pepino	
Pepper, sweet	Capsicum frutescens var.
	grossum
Oriental bush red	Capsicum frutescens var.
	abbreviatum
Persimmon, Japanese	Diospyros kaki
(ncn)	Diospyros spp.
Pineapple guava	Feijoa sellowiana
Tilleappie guata	

Plum, American
Garden
Natal
Pomegranate
Pricklypear cactus
Prune, common European
Pummelo
Quince
Red strawberry guava

Rose-apple Sandalwood, red white

Santol Sapodilla Sapote, white Seagrape Softleaf passion-flower Sour lime Sour orange Soursop Star-apple Strawberry Strawberry guava Surinam cherry Sweet granadilla Tangerine Tomato Tropical almond

Unshu orange Velvet apple Walnut, California black English

Wampi
West Indian cherry
White sandalwood
White sapote
Yellow granadilla
Yellow oleander
Yellow strawberry guava

Ylang-ylang

Prunus americana Prunus domestica Carissa macrocarpa Punica granatum Opuntia ficus-india Prunus domestica Citrus maxima Cydonia oblonga Psidium cattleianum littorale Eugenia jambos Santalum paniculatum Santalum album Sandericum koetjape Manilkara zapota Casimiroa edulis Coccoloba uvifera Passiflora mollissima Citrus aurantiifolia Citrus aurantium Annona muricata Chrysophyllum cainito Fragaria spp. Psidium cattleianum Eugenia uniflora Passiflora ligularis Citrus reticulata Lycopersicon esculentum Terminalia catappa Terminalia chebula Citrus nobilis unshu Diospyros discolor Juglans hindsii Juglans regia Citrus lansium Malpighia punicifolia Santalum album Casimiroa edulis Passiflora lauriflora The vetia peruviana Psidium cattleianum lucidum Cananga odorata

OTHER

The literature indicates that these hosts could permit OFF development but does not disclose all the conditions under which the host/pest relationship occurs. The available data does not support their inclusion as regulated articles, unless it is determined by an officer or by the project that they, or any one of these, present a hazard for spread of the OFF.

Common Name

Acorn squash
Akee
Allspice
Almond
Apple, balsam
a balsam
water

Azarolus hawthorn Bachang mango Balata sapodilla Balsam-apple

Balsam-apple, (ncn)

Balsam-pear Banyan fig Bay rum tree Beach naupaka Bean, string Berry, ohelo

California coffee

Blue latan palm Bourbon orange Brazilian nightshade

Broccoli

Bumelia, false buckthorn (ncn)

Cactus, Cochinea
California Bay laurel
California coffee berry
Candlenut
Cantaloupe
Chaulmoogra
Cherry, Portugese laurel

sweet Chestnut, Tahitian Chilean strawberry

Chili pepper China-berry

Scientific Name

Cucurbita pepo

Prunus avium

Melia azedarach

Inocarpus fagiferus Fragaria chiloensis

Capsicum annuum var. annuum

Blighia sapida Pimenta dioica Prunus dulcis Momordica balsamina Momordica cochinchinensis Eugenia aquea Crataegus azarolus Mangifera foetida Manilkara hexandra Momordica balsamina Momordica cochinchinensis Momordica charantia Ficus banghalensis Pimenta racemosa Scaevola frutescens sericea Phaseolus vulgaris Vaccinium reticulatum Rhamnus california Latania loddigesii Ochrosia elliptica Solanum seaforthianum Brassica oleracea Bumelia lanuginosa Bumelia buxifolia Nopalea cochenillifera Umbellularia californica Rhamnus california Aleurites moluccana Cucumis melo Taraktogenos laurzii kurzi Prunus lusitanica

Chinese date Zizyphus jujuba Chinese hawthorn Crataegus pinnatifida Zizyphus jujuba Chinese jujube Bunchosia armeniaca Cirvelo Climbing ylang-ylang Artabotrys uncinatus Cochinea cactus Nopalea cochenillifera Chrysophyllum icaco Cocoplum Cocos nucifera Coconut Rhamnus california Coffee, Calif. (c.) berry Liberian Coffea liberica Gossypium barbadense Cotton, Sea Island Crataegus lavallei Crataegus hybrid Codiaeum variegatum Croton, garden Averrhoa bilimbi Cucumber tree Cutleaf tomato Physalis angulata Date, Chinese Zizyphus jujuba Day jessamine Cestrum diurnum Dogwood, evergreen Cornus capitata Cordyline terminalis Diospyros ferrea Dracaena Ebony persimmon Eggplant Solanum melongena Elderberry Sambucus glanca Evergreen dogwood Cornus capitata False buckthorn bumelia Bumelia lanuginosa False ohelo Wikstroemia uva-ursi Fern tree Filicium decipiens Fig, banyan Ficus banghalensis glossy leaf Ficus retusa Ficus macrophylla Moreton Bay Port Jackson Ficus rubiginosa Garcinia Garcinia xanthochymus Codiaeum variegatum Garden croton Garden pea Pisum sativum Garden radish Raphanus sativus Gardenia Gardenia spp. Geiger tree Cordia sebestena Ginger Zingiber officiale Ginseng Panax spp. Glossy leaf fig Ficus retusa Go vernor's plum Flacourtia indica Granadilla, (ncn) Passiflora subpeltata Green sapote Calocarpum viride Guama Inga laurina Guamachil Pithecellobium dulce Hawthorn, azarolus Crataegus azarolus Chinese Crataegus pinnatifida Husk tomato Physalis peruviana India greenstar Polyalthia longifolia India jujube Zizyphus jujuba

Morinda citrifolia India mulberry Indian rhododendron Melastoma malabathricum Japanese plum Prunus salicina Syzygium samaramgense Java apple Syzygium cumini Java plum Jessamine, day Cestrum diurum Jujube, Chinese Zizyphus jujuba India Zizyphus mauritiana Mangifera odorata Kuine Lansium domesticum Langsat Umbellularia californica Laurel, California Bay Coffee liberica Liberian coffee Triphasia trifolia Limeberry Noronhia emaginata Madagascar olive Calocarpum sapota Mamee sapote Arbutus andrachne Mandrone Mangifera foetida Prunus salicina x Prunus Mango, bachang Methley plum cerasifera Spondias purpurea Mombin, red Spondias mombin yellow Ficus macrophylla Moreton Bay fig Morinda citrifolia Mulberry, India Terminalia bellerica Myrobalan Nightshade, cockroach berry Solanum aculeatissimum Brazilian Solanum seaforthianum Aleurites moluccana Nut, candle Macadamia ternifolia Queensland Vaccinium reticulatum Ohelo berry Wikstroemia uva-ursi Ohelo, false Olea europaea Olive, common Madagascar Noronhia emaginata Ochrosia elliptica Orange, bourbon Citrus tankan (ncn) Vanda spp. Orchid, vanda Palm, blue latan Latania loddigesii Veitchia spp. (ncn) Simarouba glauca Paradise tree Passion-flower, Tagua Passiflora foetida and var. gossypiella Pisum sativum Pea, garden Momordica charantia Pear, balsam Capsicum annuum var. annuum Pepper, chili Persimmon, ebony Diospyros ferrea Diospyros packmanni (ncn) Ananas comosus Pineapple Prunus cerasifera Plum, cherry Chrysophyllum icaco COCO Flacourtia indica go verner's Prunus salicina Japanese

Java methley

Port Jackson fig
Portuguese laurel cherry
Queenpalm
Queensland nut
Radish, garden
Rambai
Rambutan
Red mombin
Rheedia, wild lemon
Rhododendron, Indian
Rose, wild
Rukam
Sapodilla, balata
(ncn)

Sapote, green mamee

Sea Island cotton
Sesban
Spanish dagger
Squash, acorn
Strawberry, Chilean
Strawberry tree
String bean
Sweet cherry
Tagua passion-flower

Tahitian chestnut
Tallow-wood
Tomato, husk
cutleaf
Vanda orchid
Wampi
Water apple
Watermelon
Wild lemon rheedia
Wild rose
Yellow mombin
Ylang-ylang, climbing

Syzygium cumini Prunus salicina x Prunus cerasifera Ficus rubiginosa Prunus lusitanica Arecastrum romanzoffianum Macadamia ternifolia Raphanus sativus Baccaurea motleyana Nephelium lappaceum Spondias purpurea Rheedia edulis Melastoma malabathricum Rosa california Flacourtia jangomas Manilkara hexandra Manilkara emarginata Calocarpum viride Calocarpum sapota Gossypium barbadense Sesbania grandiflora Yucca aloifolia Cucurbita pepo Fragaria chiloensis Arbutus unedo Phaseolus vulgaris Prunus avium Passiflora foetida and var. gossypiella Inocarpus fagiferus Ximenia americana Physalis peruviana Physalis angulata Vanda spp. Clausena lansium Eugenia aquea Citrullus lanatus Rheedia edulis Rosa californica Spondias mombin Artabotrys uncinatus Yucca spp.

No Common Name Available

Actionophloeus macarthurii
Artocarpus polyphema
Baccauras angulata
Brassaia actinophylla
Chickrassia velutina
Citrus tankan
Cucurbita spp.
(Various pumpkins, squashes, gourds, if skin is broken)
Cucurbita spp.
Elaeocarpus grandis
Eugenia palumbis
Euphoria didyma

Muntingia calabara
Orchrosia mariannensis
Pandanus fragrans
Pandanus odoratissimus
Passiflora sp.
Rubus spp.
(Blackberries, possibly raspberries, loganberries, etc.)
Solanum sarmentosum
Solanum toryum
Terminalia melanocarpa

Addendum D--Technical Survey Information

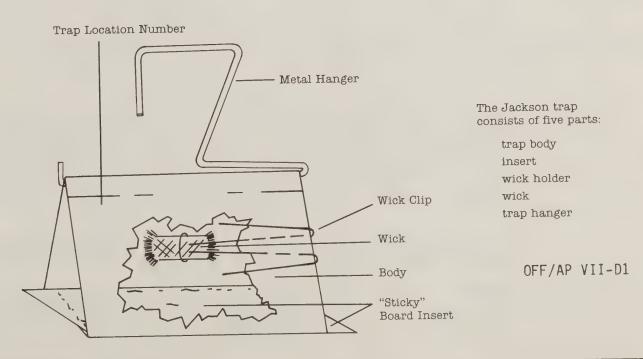
1. The Jackson Trap

A Richmond dental wick 3/4 inch in diameter and 1 inch or 1 1/2-in long will be installed in the trap. The wick will be baited with a mixture of methyl eugenol and naled. The naled in the mixture will be 1 percent ai (Dibrom® 14 @ 1 percent or Dibrom® 8 @ 2 percent by volume). The initial servicing will require 6 milliliters (mL) (0.2 oz) of lure. Subsequent servicings will require adding sufficient lure to saturate the wick without dripping. A period of 8 weeks between rebaitings is optimum but will depend on lure evaporation under existing weather conditions. The following chart may be employed as a guide:

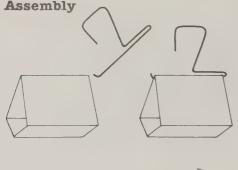
Period	Average Daily Maximum Temperature	Rebaiting Intervals
Winter	50-60 °F 60-70 °F	12 weeks 9 or 10 weeks
Spring/Cool Summer	70-80 °F 80-90 °F	8 or 9 weeks 6 weeks
Hot Summer/ Hot Fall	90 ^O F and over 80-90 ^O F	3 or 4 weeks 6 weeks
Cool Fall	70- low 80 ⁰ F	8 or 9 weeks

If a blowing rain should occur, all traps should be replaced as soon as possible due to contamination.

Jackson Trap



Jackson Trap



Insert trap hanger at top of trap. Do not bend hanger. It is brittle and will break easily.



Put a 90° bend in wick holder one inch from end. Insert the wick.





Insert wick holder on side of trap, ensuring that the wick does not touch the side wall, and the wick is midway inside trap.





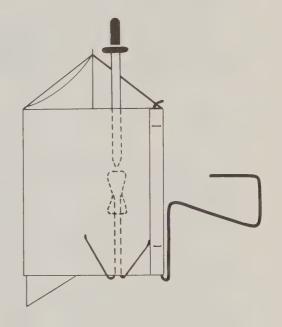
Put trap number on nonsticky side of insert. Make sure that the stickum is good.





Bow sticky side upward and insert in trap. Number trap body before hanging.

Baiting



NEVER bait a trap over trapping supplies. ALWAYS bait over an absorbent material.

Each trapper can service 20 to 50 traps per day, depending on density.

a. When baiting traps, turn trap on end and add 3 ml of ME + Naled to the end of the wick. Then turn the other end of the trap up and add 3 ml to the other end of the wick. This will total 6 ml. Take extreme care not to drip any of the lure on the insert of trap body, or the efficiency of the trap will decrease. If lure is on the outside, the flies will mill around and may not enter the trap at all.

Take care not to saturate wicks to the point that they will drip sometime after the trap is placed in the host.

Care must be taken when baiting the trap. An accidental spill, even a few drops, will cause a decrease in the effectiveness of the trap or may make it totally ineffective.

b. Once a trapper selects a trap site, the location will be plotted on a map which has been sectioned or gridded into 1 square mile blocks. In addition, a trap location record (normally a file card), with a rough drawing or sketch of the specific trap location, will be prepared to document trapping activities such as dates of placement and servicing. Periodically, the trap should be moved to other hosts of equal or greater preference.

2. The McPhail Trap

a. Preferred. Fill McPhail traps with approximately 600 ml of Miller's NU-LURE® bait solution which is composed of:

--11 fluid oz of Miller's NU-LURE®

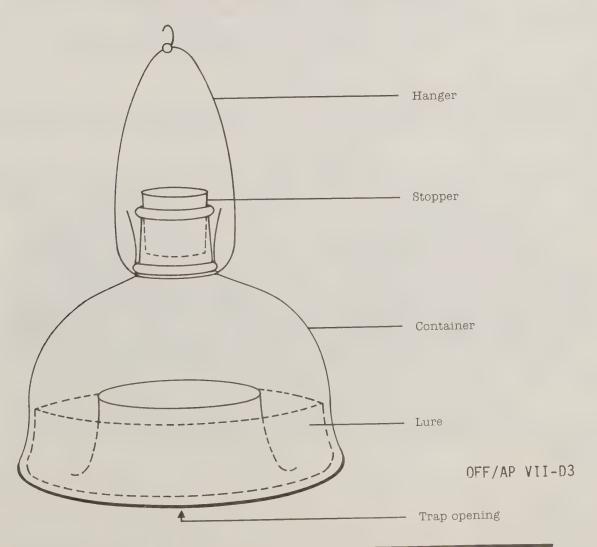
--1/2 pound (1b) of borax

-- 1 gallon (gal) of water

The solution is best prepared with warm water and stirred. Stir again before adding solution to trap. Trap should be filled to just below lip.

b. Or: Use Five Torula yeast tablets and 500-600 ml of water per trap. Crush tablets, add water, and stir solution until yeast mixture is dissolved for best results.

McPhail Glass Trap



Quality Control

Field supervisors oversee each trapper's work. In addition to arranging schedules, helping with problems, and overall direction, the following quality control items are carried out:

- a. Evaluation. The field supervisor periodically checks a number of traps run by each trapper. On an evaluation sheet the supervisor lists the trap number, location, description, and date and notes the condition of the wick, trap placement, and trapping schedule. Trappers are advised of results and problem areas worked out.
 - b. Trapping Directory--Map Requirement
- (1) Trap Location Directory. A list of all trappers, traps, servicing dates, field supervisors, and a copy of each trap card giving the exact location of each trap are maintained in a directory.
- (2) Map. A large-scale master map, gridded to the coordinates used in the survey, will be maintained and updated each day. The map will show the location of all traps and finds throughout the regulated area.
 - c. Initial Trap Training and Public Relations
 - (1) Trap Placement

New trappers will be given individual instruction on proper trap placement.

(a) Selection of trapping sites. In selecting possible trap sites, first consideration should be given to the availability of preferred hosts, with fruit, in which to place the trap. If there is a choice between two or more possible trap locations with hosts of equal status, preference should be given to the site that has multiple hosts, either of the same variety or of different varieties. In many cases, single trees will be the only host available and should be utilized. Never pick a location solely because it will look good on a map. For OFF, traps placed throughout or near the center of orchards have a higher likelihood of catching specimens than traps placed at the edges. Placing a trap in a poor or second rate host, or even in a prime host without fruit when hosts with mature fruit are available, has the effect of making the lure compete with natural attractants. In some cases, a very desirable host may be lacking in mature fruit or have

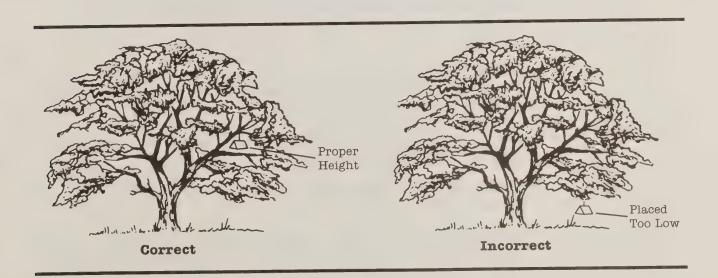
insufficient shade for trap placement. In such cases, a nearby honeydew source might be a desirable trap location. Generally, it is not advisable to place a trap in a host without fruit unless it shows evidence of abundant honeydew. Honeydew is a sweetish, clear excretion produced by certain insects such as aphids, scale insects, mealybugs and whiteflies. It is a good food source for adult fruit flies. A fungus called sooty mold lives on the honeydew. This mold makes the leaves appear blackish. The presence of sooty mold is an indication that the host is infested with insects that produce honeydew.

Those preferred hosts, which are likely to bear mature fruit or be attractive feeding hosts most of the year, should form the bulk of the trapped hosts. The common guava and the mango are choice honeydew sources.

Trees having sparse foliage should be avoided when other preferred hosts are available. This is true especially during the summer months, since these trees do not produce enough shade. When a preferred host does not have sufficient shade, you might consider placing the trap in a lesser host or a nonhost nearby.

Desirable trap sites should be noted on a Trap Location Record to facilitate future trap locations. This may be done at the time of initial trap placement or as the sites are noted during trap servicing.

(b) Placement of trap in host. Generally, it is not advisable to place a trap in a host without fruit except when the tree is being used as a trap site adjacent to a preferred host which has insufficient shade.



The trap should be placed in a host at a point high enough to be out of reach of children, livestock, or pets. It should be secured in a manner to prevent it from being blown down. During the summer or warmer portions of the year, the trap must be placed in open shade; whereas, in the winter or cooler time of the year, it should be placed in a southern exposure, but not in direct sunlight. It is preferable to place it 1/2 to 2/3 the distance from the trunk to the outer edge of the foliage. The trap should not hang below or outside the foliage of the tree. The trap should not be placed in dense foliage that may protrude into the trap or give the fly a resting place that would prevent it from entering the trap.

It is desirable to have foliage below the level of the trap but not necessarily directly beneath the trap. A pole with a metal hook attached to one end can be used to place the trap sufficiently high in the host to be out of easy reach of children and curious adults.

(2) Public Relations

Good public relations are an important part of the survey specialist's duties. They are constantly in view and frequently in contact with the public. They should be courteous at all times. Prolonged conversations should be a woided, but short, cordial conversations concerning work are desirable. Do not be drawn into arguments concerning program activities.

Survey officers represent the Department of Agriculture and form an image of that Agency in the eyes of the public. Dress, personal appearance, and actions should be appropriate to make a good impression with the general public.

Shorts and tee-shirts may not be worn. Long pants or slacks and shirts or blouses with sleeves are prescribed for comfort and protection.

Shoes must be worn. Leather shoes with heavy soles help prevent nail and glass cuts.

Identification badges must be worn every workday at chest level for easy identification.

When entering a property for the first time, always attempt to contact the property owner or caretaker, explain the work briefly, and ask permission to place the trap. In conversations with the public, traps should be referred to as "insect survey traps." If no one is home a "Memorandum to Property Owner or Tenant" should be left.

(3) Preliminary Training

A vial of five dead, marked OFF (wing-clipped and color-marked) is sent to each field supervisor by registered mail.

These are randomly placed on a Jackson trap stickyboard and shown to all trappers. As part of the demonstration, the flies will be submitted for identification as described in normal operational procedures.

d. Quality Control Advisors

In a large program, quality control advisors may be employed. These personnel will monitor the trapping program and may ride with every trapper in a trapping district. The advisor works with trappers, assisting with proper trap location, baiting, host selection, trap deployment, and recordkeeping. Deficiencies and recommended improvements in the trapping district are reported to the field supervisor. Such reports are also given to the program manager. Periodic staff meetings of advisors are held to exchange viewpoints and discuss improvements.

e. OFF Quality Control Trapping Test Program

During the course of a large eradication program, it may be advisable to bait a selected number of traps with marked, dead OFF. This would maintain a high level of trapping awareness as well as ensure trapper recognition of and standardize reporting and trapping procedures. Previously killed, marked OFF will be obtained elsewhere and handled at project headquarters. The following procedure is suggested to minimize risk but actual procedures may vary, depending on agreement with State cooperators. Project managers will contact DEO for procedures to implement this test program.

(1) Trap Selection

Each field supervisor will randomly select 5 to 15 traps per trapper to be tested and provide all data to the program office at least 1 full week in advance of test date.

(2) Preparation

The field supervisor will be notified of the approximate delivery time of the specimens. Specimens will be selected and checked for color markings. As a precaution, the color will be changed each month, and the right or left wing will be clipped. Only the program office will be aware of the color and clipping schedule.

(3) Mailing

Each marked specimen will be placed in its own vial with a quality control identification number. The number will be recorded in a quality control log. The marked flies will then be sent by registered mail to the field supervisor. The field supervisor will send the program office a list of the traps to be baited for logging by specimen number. Specimens will be placed in traps no earlier than 1 day before normal servicing.

(4) Return

When a marked specimen is detected, standard trapping procedures are followed. However, the specimen is returned in the original vial, the pest detection report slip is given the quality control number under remarks, and the specimen is returned to the program office via registered mail.

(5) Oral Tests

To maintain trapper awareness, an occasional test may be given. General discussion may follow each test so that all concerned will benefit.

Addendum E--Life History

1. SYSTEMATIC POSITION

Oriental fruit fly, Bactrocera dorsalis (Hendel) (Diptera, Tephritidae)

Class: Insecta Order: Diptera Family: Tephritidae

Drew, 1989, revised the Dacinae, raising Bactrocera to full generic rank.

Bactrocera and Dacus are in the Dacini. Most of the species, including Dacus dorsalis Hendel, are now in Bactrocera.

This is one of over 300 species of the genus Bactrocera. The genus is found from Africa to Australia and on the islands of the Pacific.

There are many species of lesser or unknown economic damage potential.

2. IDENTIFICATION CHARACTERS

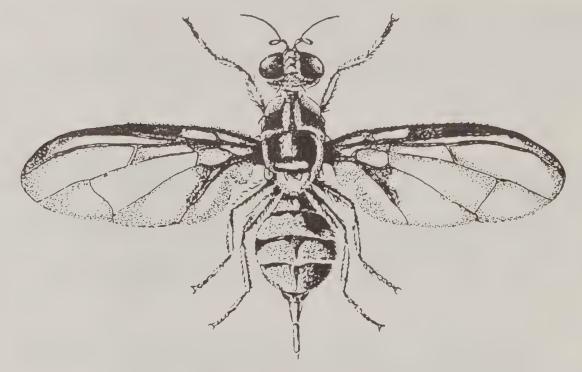
Eggs: Slender, white, elliptical, without sculpturing, slightly over 1.1 millimeters (mm) (0.04 in) long; deposited under skin of host fruit in groups of 3 to 30.

Larvae: A typical headless maggot, creamy white; attains length of 10 mm (0.3 in); body segmented. Mouth hooked with small ventral tooth in first and second instars; absent in third instar, but then dorsal margin straight anteriorly. There are three instars. Third instar larvae can flip.

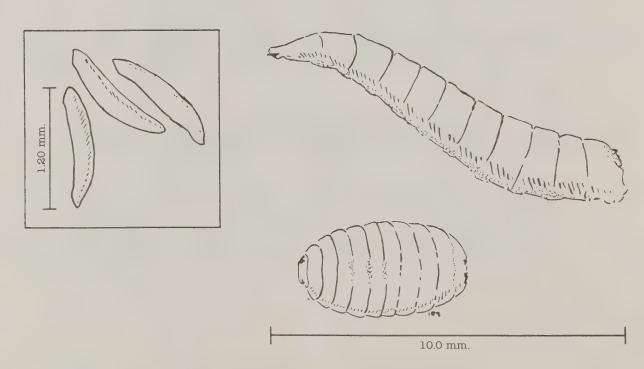
Pupae: Tan to dark brownish yellow, about 5 mm (0.2 in) long; pupation usually occurs 2 to 3 centimeters (cm) (0.7 to 1.1 in) under soil surface, but soil is not always necessary for pupation to occur.

Adult: Somewhat larger than a housefly, about 8.0 mm (0.3 in) long; color bright, variable, mostly yellow but with two black markings on thorax and abdomen. Female with slender, sharp-pointed ovipositor; produces more than 1,000 eggs during lifetime. Wings clear; narrow dark band along forward margin and short diagonal band near base.

Oriental Fruit Fly



Bactrocera dorsalis (Hendel)



Eggs, larva and pupa of Bactrocera dorsalis

Source: Florida Department of Agriculture.

3. BIOLOGY

A mated female may oviposit as many as 136 eggs per day, usually about 10 per oviposition site, but this can go up to 100 or more. The eggs may take only 24 hours to hatch but in cooler temperatures can require up to 20 days. The developing larvae go through three instars. The larval stage may last from 6 to 35 days depending on the temperature. Under optimum temperatures of $80\,^{\circ}\text{F}$ (27 $^{\circ}\text{C}$) and humidity (70 percent), the larval stage can be as short as 6 to 7 days. The third instar can exit the fruit by a flipping motion before or after the fruit drops to the ground. The larvae pupate 2 in (2 -5cm) or rarely to 5 in (13 cm) in the soil. Surface conditions may impel the larvae to move horizontally as much as a yard (yd) (90 cm) radius in a search for suitable soil for burrowing and pupation. The pupal stage usually takes 10 to 12 days for completion, but this can be extended to 120 days (diapause) by extremely cool temperatures. It is in this stage that OFF usually overwinters. The newly emerged females normally need about 8 to 12 days to mature before they can begin to oviposit. If daylight hours are as long or longer than night hours, adults can mate at 5 or 6 days after emergence under optimum temperatures between 77-84 F (25-29 C). Adults usually live for about 1 to 3 months but have survived a year in cool mountain localities. If temperatures average below 55 °F (12.78 °C) over a two week period, the species is reproductively inactive although it may be present. Biweekly average temperatures above 98 °F (36.67 °C) are inhibitory to adult activity and result in a high mortality rate. The species has been able to survive frosts and slight snowfall. When hosts are available, the flies tend to remain in an area (non-dispersive movement) and generally do not move more than 656 yd (590 meters (m)) away (mean of 362 yd = 325 m). However, dispersive movement, when prompted by a lack of fruit on hosts for ovipositioning, warm weather following cool or cold temperatures, or by young adults between emergence and maturity, is greater than 3 mi, and when forced, such as flying over water, is as much as 40 mi. There are normally two daily peaks of activity, one in early morning for feeding and one at dusk for mating, which is at a maximum about 15 minutes prior to sunset.

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Addendum F--Identification of Specimen(s)

As many specimens as possible of the pest are to be collected for screening/identification by the local designated identifier.

Suspect adult specimens collected from Jackson traps should be handled carefully. To insure that specimens caught in sticky material can be accurately identified, the following procedures are recommended.

- Cut out a portion of the insert surrounding the specimen. This will leave you with the specimen imbedded in sticky material on a small piece of cardboard. Put an insect pin (number 2 size) through the cardboard and pin the cardboard (with specimen attached) in a mailmaster type pinning box. You are thus treating the specimen as a pinned specimen and do not need to use alcohol or other liquids. To ship the pinning box for identification place it inside a second shipping box and put padding between the two boxes.
- You may find it easier to lift the specimen out of the sticky material with a small spatula. Try not to touch the specimen, i.e. lift from underneath and bring a glob of the sticky material with it. Place the specimen on a small square of paper such as a piece of 3 x 5 index card. The sticky material should hold it on. Then put an insect pin through the piece of index card and place it in a mailmaster pinning box. Ship as described above.

Suspect larvae should be killed by placing in water, bringing to the boiling point, cooling, and then preserved in 70-75% ethyl alcohol. Suspect adult specimens collected from McPhail and Jackson traps and other insect stages should all be forwarded in vials of alcohol for confirmation to 1/ in the following chart. These specimens must be accompanied by PPQ Form 391, Specimens For Determination, marked "Urgent" (see PPQ Manual M390.500). Telephone the identifier prior to shipping specimens to alert them of the shipment.

INFORMATION FLOW FOR THE IDENTIFICATION OF SPECIMENS

SPECIMENS COLLECTED

SCREENING/IDENTIFICATION BY STATE OR PPQ

SPECIMENS SUBMITTED TO USDA 1/
for Confirmation

CONFIRMATION NOTIFICATION 2/ to Other USDA Agencies

RESULTS SENT TO APHIS AND IF 3 EXOTIC Information Relayed to 3 4

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Addendum G--Forms

Number	<u>Title</u>
CONTROL PPQ 213 PPQ 431-R PPQ 468 PPQ 552-R PPQ 602 PPQ 603 PPQ 802	Airplane Inspection Record Treatment Test Record Caution - Pesticide Treatment in Progress Pesticide Samples for Chemical Analysis Environmental Monitoring Residue Sample for Food or Feed Product Daily Aircraft Record
REG LLATORY PPQ 214 PPQ 244 PPQ 254	Warning Quarantine Label USDA - APHIS Warning Quarantine (Tag) Disposition of Plants and Plant or Animal Products
PPQ 287 PPQ 468	Mail Interception Notice Caution - Pesticide Treatment in Progress
PPQ 518	Report of Violation
PPQ 519	Compliance Agreement
PPQ 522	Certified Under All Applicable Federal or State Cooperative Domestic Plant Quarantine (Tag)
PPQ 523	Emergency Action Notification
PPQ 524 PPQ 527	Issuance Record for Permits or Certificates Certified Under All Applicable Federal or State Cooperative Domestic Plant Quarantine (Package Certificate)
PPQ 530	Limited Permit
PPQ 535	Certificate of Treatment (Fruit-Foreign Site)
PPQ 537	Limited Permit Label
PPQ 540	Certificate of Federal/State Domestic Plant Quarantine
PPQ 551 PPQ 554	Regulated Establishment Record Certified Under All Applicable Federal or State Cooperative Domestic Plant Quarantines (Label)
PPQ 577	Phytosanitary Certificate
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